

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the Application of: **HOSHI, George et al.**

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: September 10, 2008

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated **March 17, 2008** of the Primary Examiner.

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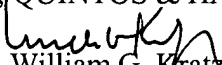
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Respectfully submitted,

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